To taint his nobler heart and brain
With needless jealousy;
And to become the geek[6] and
scorn
O* the other's villainy ?

2 *BRO.* For this, from stiller seats we
came[2]
Our parents, and us
twain. That, striking in our
country's cause.
Fell bravely., and were
slain ; Our fealty, and
Tenantius'[7] right,
With honour to maintain.

I *BRO.* Like hardiment Posthurnus
hath
To Cymbeline
perform'd: Then Jupiter,
thou king of gods,
Why hast thou thus
adjourn'd The graces for his
merits due ;
Being all to dolours turn'd ?

Sici. Thy crystal window ope; look
out;
No longer exercise, Upon
a valiant race, thy harsh
And potent injuries :

MOTH. Since, Jupiter, our son is
good, Take off his miseries.

Sici. Peep through thy marble
mansion ; help !
Or we poor ghosts will cry
To the shining synod of
the rest, Against thy deity.

% BRO. Help, Jupiter; or we
appeal, And from thy justice
fly.

JVPITER descends in Thunder and Lightning, sit*

[6] And to become the GECK —] And permit *Postkumus* to become the geek, &c. MALONE,
A geek is a/oo/. See vol. xi. p. 497, n. 7. STEEVENS.

[7] —Tenantius'—] See, p. 9, n. 7. STEEVENS.

[8] *Jupiter descends* —] It appears from Acolastus, a comedy by T, Palsgrave, chaplain to King Henry VIII. bl. 1. 1540, that